



# SAINT THOMAS THE APOSTLE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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April 28, 2013

### Parish Office

770 - 432-8579

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### Office Hours

Monday—Friday

9:00AM—5:00PM

Closed Wednesday 1PM-3PM

### Religious Ed. Office

770 - 432-5296

### Office Hours

Monday—Thursday

10:00AM—6:00PM

### Preschool Office

770 - 432-8579 Ext. 125

### Office Hours

Monday—Friday

9:30AM - 12:00PM

### English Mass

#### Schedule

Monday:	12 Noon
Tuesday:	12 Noon
Wednesday:	6:30 AM & 7:00 PM
Thursday:	7:00 PM
Friday:	12 Noon
Saturday Vigil:	5:00 PM
Sunday:	7:30 AM, 9:30 AM 11:30 AM & 5:00 PM

### Confession:

Saturdays: 3:30 PM

### Horario de Misas en Español

Lunes:	7:30 PM
Jueves:	8:00 PM
Sábado:	7:30 PM
Domingo:	6:00 AM 2:00 PM & 7:30 PM

### Confesión:

Sábados: 6:30 PM

Domingos: 1:00 & 6:30 PM

Our Pastor, Fr. Brian, is ready to listen! Please join us.

## TOWN HALL MEETINGS

MONDAY, APRIL 29<sup>TH</sup> 10:30 A.M.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8<sup>TH</sup> 7:30 P.M.

All meetings in the Social Hall.

See Page 2  
for details.

Ver Página 2  
para más detalles.

Todas las reuniones en el Salón Social.

¡Nuestro párroco, el Padre Brian, está listo para escuchar!

## ASAMBLEAS GENERALES

LUNES, 29 DE ABRIL - 8:30 P.M.

MARTES, 30 DE ABRIL - 10:30 A.M.

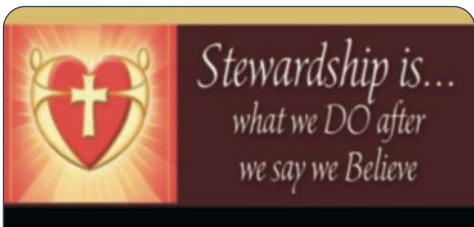
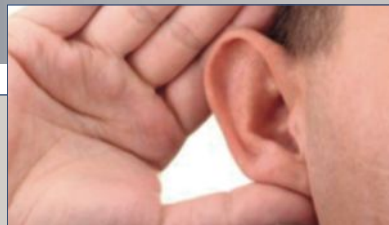


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Parochial Vicars: Rev. Andrews Kollannoor, M.S.. (x128) • Rev. Jaime Molina J., M.N.M. (x121) • Rev. Paul Rainville, M.S. (in residence x.193)

• Deacons: Rev. Mr. Michael Garrett • Rev. Mr. Earl Jackson • Rev. Mr. Mark Mitchell • Deacons Office (x106)

Parish Administrator: Mr. Gus Scannapieco (x109)



**Offertory/Ofertorio April 20-21, 2013**

Budgeted ( <i>Proyección</i> ) .....	\$38,000.00
Actual ( <i>Real</i> ) .....	\$28,767.00
Shortfall ( <i>Pérdida</i> ) .....	\$9,233.00

**FY 2013 Offertory Projection vs. Actual to Date**  
**Ofertorio: Proyección vs. Real**

To Date Budget ( <i>Proyección</i> ) .....	\$1,634,000.00
To Date Actual ( <i>Real</i> ) .....	\$1,109,400.00
To Date Shortfall ( <i>Pérdida</i> ) .....	\$524,600.00

**Operating Financial Statement (8 months)**  
**Costos de Operación (8 meses)**  
**as of February 28, 2013**

Revenue ( <i>Ingresos</i> ) .....	\$1,492,862.00
Expenses ( <i>Gastos</i> ) .....	\$1,498,811.00
Assessment Owed to Archdiocese ...	\$228,089.00
<i>(Deuda con la Arquidiócesis) FY 2012/2013</i>	
Loss from Operations .....	\$234,038.00
<i>(Pérdida por Operaciones)</i>	
Total Assessments .....	\$1,060,498.00
still owed to Archdiocese from 2010/2013	
<i>(Deudas Totales a la Arquidiócesis del 2010/2013)</i>	

**Update on our Capital Campaign**  
**Moving Forward In Hope**  
**Campaña Caminando en Esperanza**

Goal ( <i>Meta</i> ) .....	\$5,000,000.00
Pledged to Date .....	\$2,574,510.00
<i>Compromisos hasta la fecha</i>	
Pledges Deleted for non-Payment ....	(\$232,850.00)
<i>Compromisos eliminados debido a falta de pago</i>	
Net Pledges after Deletions .....	\$2,341,660.00
<i>Compromisos netos</i>	
Collected to Date .....	\$1,849,265.00
<i>Recolectado hasta la fecha</i>	
<i>(Includes monies transferred from Hispanic Ministry)</i>	
Campaign Expenses .....	(\$259,754.00)
<i>Gastos de Campaña</i>	
Net Funds to Date .....	\$1,589,511.00
<i>Pagos netos hasta la fecha</i>	
Number of Donors ( <i>No. de Donantes</i> ) .....	1,309

**Archbishop Annual Appeal 2013 (Week 12)**  
**Llamado Anual del Arzobispo 2013 (Semana 12)**

Goal ( <i>Meta</i> ) .....	\$144,515.00
Total Pledged ( <i>Compromisos totales</i> ) ..	\$149,170.00
Paid to date ( <i>Pagos</i> ) .....	\$49,552.00
Number of Donors ( <i>No. de Donantes</i> ) .....	716

**Town Hall Meetings with Fr. Brian (in English)**  
Monday, April 29th at 10:30 a.m.—Social Hall  
Wednesday, May 8th at 7:30 p.m.—Social Hall

Our Pastor, Fr. Brian, will be holding two Town Hall Meetings in English (and two in Spanish) for the purpose of listening to the concerns or observations of our parishioners. Let's not miss the opportunity to speak to him in this open forum. Being new to our parish, Fr. Brian wishes to hear from as many parishioners as possible. After the meetings a full report will be published for all to read. These meetings will help Fr. Brian set the future direction of the parish. **Let your voice be heard!**

**Asambleas Generales con el Padre Brian (en español)**  
Lunes, 29 de abril a las 8:30 p.m.—Salón Social  
Martes, 30 de abril a las 10:30 a.m.—Salón Social

Nuestro Párroco, el Padre Brian, estará conduciendo dos Asambleas Generales en español (y otras dos en inglés) con el propósito de escuchar las inquietudes y observaciones de los feligreses. No te pierdas esta oportunidad de hablar con él en este foro abierto. Estas reuniones ayudarán al Padre Brian a determinar la dirección que nuestra parroquia tomará en el futuro. **¡Deja que se escuche tu voz!**

**In Our Prayers / En Nuestras Oraciones**

Please pray for the people who are listed on this Bulletin Sick List.

- |                 |                         |                  |
|-----------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| Josie Alexis    | Fr. Gene Barrette, M.S. | John Ashibogu    |
| Alvaro W. Caniz | Marisol Mancilla        | Jimanna Colbert  |
| Pamela Smith    | Fr. Andrian Pleus       | Sunny Joiner     |
| Estela Valdes   | Elena María Salazar     | Ann Offen        |
| Gerardo Valdes  | Mike Southwood          | Frances Ohanenye |
|                 | Dave Troughton, Sr.     |                  |

Please call the Parish Office to place a name on the list above. The names will be kept in our bulletin for three consecutive weeks.

Here at St. Thomas the Apostle we have a **Prayer Line Ministry**. The members of this ministry are dedicated prayer warriors.

If you have a prayer request that you would like to place in the care of the Prayer Line, contact Valerie Panditaratne at [vpandit@emory.edu](mailto:vpandit@emory.edu)

**Pray For Our Troops / Oremos por nuestros soldados**

We remember in our prayers all of those who are serving in the military, especially: / Recordamos en nuestras oraciones a todos aquellos que se encuentran sirviendo en el ejército, especialmente:

- |                                   |                                |                                   |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Sgt. John R Beuth ANG             | Sgt. Mark Gallant, USA         | LCpl. Gerardo Morales, Jr. USMC   |
| CWO5 Kevin Scott Bera, USMC       | LCpl. Quinn Gordon, USMC       | HM2 Kenneth McIntosh, II, USN     |
| Sgt. 1st Class Samuel Bright, USA | SFC Charles Granke, USA        | PFC Ernest Dean Rivera, USMC      |
| Sgt. Manuel Chico, USA            | PFC Ronald Griffin, Jr., USA   | Specialist Robert H. Roberts, USA |
| Sgt. Christopher Conkel, USMC     | Sgt. William Scott Haney, ARNG | Major Robert A. Robinson, II USA  |
| SFC Steve Creason, GaARNG         | E3 Spencer Hanemann, USN       | Pvt. Jeffrey Sanborn, USA         |
| SFC Arcelio R. Davis, Jr. USA     | PFC Brian Harris, USA          | Christopher Sandoval              |
| ET3 Carolyn Deacon, USN           | Maj. Marise James, USAF        | CPT Anna Smith, ARNG              |
| Sgt. Sonjanique Ferrel, USA       | LT CDR Dominic R. Lovello      | S.Sgt. Michael Throne, USA        |
| 2LT Adam Fisk, USA                | CW3 Peter Paul Leone, USA      | CW4 Anthony Veney, USA            |

Please contact the Parish Office if you have a family member who is serving in the military.

Kids Corner



**Hear Ye! Hear Ye! - Vacation Bible School (VBS)**

Wanted: Future kings and queens to royally rock VBS  
Register now to reserve your spot at the royal castle where kids will learn to *Stand Strong For God*.

**Date:** June 10th - 14th  
**Time:** 9:30 a.m. -12:30 p.m.  
**Location:** Social Hall  
**Ages:** 3 through 5th grade.

6th grade through adult royal volunteers needed for VBS!  
Registration Forms available outside the PSR Office (2nd floor) or call 770-432-5296 for more information.

**Parish School of Religion (PSR) year is coming to an end.**

Thanks to everyone who supported the program this year!

Registration forms are being sent home with all the children registered in classes or home schooling this year. Please fill the forms out and return them to the Religious Education office as soon as possible to ensure that your child will have a spot in our program next year. Forms will be available for new students starting July 1st. For more information please call 770-432-5296.

**Supper Club**



All families with school age children are welcome! Join us on Saturday, **May 18th from 3:00 p.m.** until dark at the playground area behind the church. Bring a potluck dish and drinks to share. Let's build community through food, fun and fellowship! For more information contact Melanie Meder at medermelanie@yahoo.com or call 678-368-6646.

**Preschool Summer Camp**



Looking for children ages 3 – 6 (ages as of 9/1/2013) to join the fun!  
Mark your calendars for: June 17-20, June 24-27, July 8-11 and July 15-18  
Cost: \$125 per week—Camp Hours: 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.  
Space still available. Please call 770-432-8579 Ext. 125 to sign up your child.

**St. Thomas the Apostle Preschool**

Interested in getting information about our Preschool program? Contact Monica Signoret at 770-432-8579 Ext. 125 or visit: [www.stthomastheapostle.org/preschool](http://www.stthomastheapostle.org/preschool)

**Pastoral Council—**

Are you a good candidate?

We are looking for parishioners who meet the following criteria:

- Registered parishioners
- At least 18 years of age
- Baptized, practicing Catholics
- Dedicated to the mission and spiritual welfare of the parish
- Willing to listen and be open-minded towards the ideas of others for the good of the whole parish
- Willing to work with the pastor who is the spiritual leader of the parish

Is God calling you to serve our parish through this unique ministry? If you are interested, or want to learn more about the ministry of the Parish Pastoral Council, please call Mila Johnson 404-713-9633.

*Estamos en busca de feligreses Católicos activos, mayores de 18 años que deseen trabajar junto al párroco por el bien de la parroquia. Interesados en formar parte del Consejo Pastoral, por favor llamar a Mila Johnson al 404-713-9633.*

Coming soon ...

May 4 and May 11  
10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.  
Main Sanctuary  
**First Communions**  
Please pray for the children in our parish that will be receiving the Body and Blood of Christ for the first time.

May 12  
8:00 a.m.—11:00 a.m.  
Social Hall  
**Mother's Day Breakfast**  
Come and enjoy a delicious breakfast with us. **MOMS EAT FREE!**  
See Page 5 for details.

May 18-19  
After all Masses  
Commons Area  
**Bake Sale!**  
Get your ovens ready!  
Support our Spring Bake Sale with monetary donations or baked goods.

May 27  
9:00 a.m.  
Main Sanctuary  
**Memorial Day Mass**  
A special liturgy honoring those who made the ultimate sacrifice.





**Pre-Evangelization Classes for the upcoming Evangelization Retreat in August begin next month!**

Our Pastor, Fr. Brian, and Fr. Molina are delighted to invite you to participate in the pre-evangelization sessions prior to attending the Evangelization Retreat, scheduled on August 19th - August 25th.

The pre-evangelization classes are a pre-requisite to help prepare you to have a personal encounter with the living Jesus at the August Evangelization Retreat.

Two schedules available:

**Mondays**

7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.  
May 13th to August 12th  
Classroom #4

**Saturdays**

6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.  
May 18th to August 17th  
Classroom #4

For more information please contact John Casey at 770-432-8579, Ext. 130 [jcasey@stthomastheapostle.org](mailto:jcasey@stthomastheapostle.org)



**Habitat for Humanity: Unity Through Love**

The fundraising and volunteer sign-up to help with the construction of our 19th Habitat for Humanity home has begun. This year the people of St. Thomas will join the Smyrna-Cobb Habitat Coalition in building a home in West Cobb County. This ecumenical effort of churches, synagogues and mosques will build affordable housing with a working poor family in our community. To help with our fundraising effort, **please consider a \$30 donation.** Our goal is to raise \$10,000 for building materials. Checks should be made payable to "Northwest Atlanta Habitat". Just place your donation in the weekly offertory. Please give what you can.

We are, also, in need of volunteers to help with construction; no special skills required! On the job training is provided. Please contact Tony Pearson-Clarke at [pearsonclarke@bellsouth.net](mailto:pearsonclarke@bellsouth.net) to volunteer. Thank you for your generosity and your prayers.

***Hábitat para la Humanidad: Unidad a través del Amor***

*Ayúdanos a construir una vivienda digna para una familia de escasos recursos. Consideren una donación de \$30 que nos ayudará a comprar materiales de construcción. También estamos buscando voluntarios que ayuden durante la construcción. No experiencia necesaria. Interesados por favor escribir a Tony Pearson-Clarke at [pearsonclarke@bellsouth.net](mailto:pearsonclarke@bellsouth.net).*

**Mission Trip—Fall 2013:**

The Saint Thomas the Apostle 23rd Annual Mission Trip to Kingston, Jamaica, to work with the priests and brothers of the Missionaries of the Poor is scheduled for Wednesday, October 9th to Sunday, October 13th, 2013. All adult parishioners are welcome. Cost is approximately \$800. For details, please contact Brian Durham via e-mail at: [CoMayo3948@aol.com](mailto:CoMayo3948@aol.com). Space is limited.

***Viaje Misionero a Jamaica del 9 al 13 de octubre. Costo: \$800.***

*Interesados llamar a la Oficina Parroquial.*

**Attention Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:**

If your certification expires in 2013 or the 1st Quarter of 2014, we invite you to participate in any of the upcoming Re-certification Seminars:

- **Saturday, May 18th:** 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.—Main Sanctuary. OR
- **Saturday, June 22th:** 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.—Main Sanctuary

**Interested in becoming an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion?**

We welcome your active participation and look forward to your attendance at either of the upcoming Training Seminars mentioned above. If you would like to serve as an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion during our regular Mass schedule, please contact the Parish Office 770-432-8579 Ext. 0.



**PARISH AGENDA—April 29-May 5, 2013**

*Updated April 22, 2013*

**MONDAY, APRIL 29**

9:00 AM PRESCHOOL  
**10:30 AM ENG TOWN HALL MEETING**  
 12:00 PM MASS  
 † **Carmino Sais**  
 4:30 PM PSR  
 6:00 PM INEA  
 KofC 1st DEGREE  
 7:00 PM EMA CHOIR  
 1ST EUCHARIST PRACTICE  
 RCIA SOCIAL  
**7:30 PM MISA**  
 8:00 PM EVANGELIZATION CHOIR  
**8:30 PM ASAMBLEA GENERAL CON P. BRIAN**

**TUESDAY, APRIL 30**

9:00 AM PRESCHOOL  
 10:30 AM **ASAMBLEA GENERAL**  
 12:00 PM MASS  
 † **Andrew Garger**  
 6:00 PM INEA  
 ENGLISH CLASS  
 6:30 PM DISCIPLES CLASS  
 7:00 PM BEREAVEMENT GROUP  
 EMA CHOIR  
 SVdP  
 REMEMBER THEIR SACRIFICE  
 1ST EUCHARIST PRACTICE  
 8:00 PM APOYO A LA FAMILIA

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 1**

**6:30 AM MASS**  
 † **Brandon Simms**  
 7:00 AM ADORATION  
 9:00 AM PRESCHOOL  
 12:00 PM OVER 50's  
 6:45 PM BENEDICTION  
 7:00 PM CRACK IT OPEN  
**7:00 PM MASS**  
 † **Ernesto Quidgley**  
 7:30 PM LIFE TEEN BAND  
 8:00 PM SMALL COMMUNITIES

**THURSDAY, MAY 2**

9:00 AM PRESCHOOL  
 10:00 AM BIBLE STUDY  
 STORY TIME  
 6:30 AM ROSARY  
 7:00 PM THIRSTY THURSDAY  
 CHOIR REHEARSAL  
 KOF C  
**7:00 PM MASS**  
 † **Michelle Mendy**  
**8:00 PM MISA**

## Mother's Day Parish Breakfast—May 12th



Mother's Day Breakfast sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. **Mothers eat for free!** Everyone else only \$6. Please come and enjoy our delicious breakfast items after the 7:30 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. masses. Menu includes eggs, bacon, sausage, pancakes, grits, fruit cocktail, coffee and orange juice.

### Desayuno del Día de las Madres—Mayo 12

**Mamás comen GRATIS!** Precio del desayuno para el resto: \$6. Los Caballeros de Colón les invitan a este desayuno parroquial el 12 de mayo de 8 a.m. a 11:00 a.m. El menú incluye huevos, tocino, salchichas, panqueque, coctel de frutas, café y jugo de naranja.

## Mother's Day Cards now available!

There is no better gift than the gift of prayer! Give the gift of a spiritual bouquet for that special mother in your life. Cards available in the Commons Area. Please return Offering Envelopes to the Parish Office by Friday, May 10th.

### Tarjetas para el Día de las Madres

*¡Qué mejor obsequio que el regalo de la oración! Ofrece un bouquet espiritual a esa madre especial en tu vida. Tarjetas disponibles en el Área Común. Por favor completar y regresar los Sobres de Ofrenda a la Oficina Parroquial a más tardar el 10 de mayo.*

## Enter the table-scape competition



The Women's Auxiliary invites you to participate in a fundraising TABLE-SCAPE COMPETITION, on Saturday, June 15, 2013 at the Taylor-Brawner Banquet Hall, in Smyrna.

Tables will consist of a six-person team. The entrance fee is \$150.00 per table. Three Atlanta Designers will be judging the event and awarding trophies.

Deadline for registration is May 30th! For detailed information and registration, call Rose Levitan at 770-434-9606.

## Knights of Columbus News



### Upcoming Events:

- May 2nd:** General Council Meeting 7:30 PM Community House (Officer Nominations Remain Open)
- May 12th:** Mothers' Day – Parish Breakfast after 7:30 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. Masses
- May 16th:** Officers' Meeting 7:30 p.m. Community House
- May 16th – 19th:** State Convention and Meeting in Savannah
- May 27th – Memorial Day:** Patriotic Events to be held locally in Marietta and Canton, GA

**50/50 Raffle Tickets are available after all Masses.** Only \$10 per ticket or 3 for \$25. April winner will be drawn on May 1st.

## Cooking for the Clergy: Please help!

1. Sign up on the bulletin board in Commons
2. Prepare the meal on the date you chose
3. Deliver the meal to the rectory between 12:45 p.m. and 1:00 p.m.

## Ultreya Meetings



Have you made a Cursillo weekend? If you answered yes, then you are invited to come and join us at our monthly **Ultreya meetings, on the second Saturday of each month from 8:00 a.m to 9:00 a.m. in Classroom #2.**

If you are not familiar with Cursillo then we would like to also invite you to come and share with a group of St. Thomas parishioners who come together to pray and share their Catholic walk with the Lord. It is in sharing that we strengthen our walk. For more information contact Don Sabbarese at 770-435-3024.

### FRIDAY, MAY 3

SPRING RETREAT (AWAY)  
 9:00 AM PRESCHOOL  
 9:30 AM BODY RECALL  
**12:00 PM MASS**  
 † **Neftalí González**  
 6:00 PM ENGLISH CLASS  
 INEA CLASS  
 8:00 PM EVANGELIZATION FOLLOW-UP  
 GIRL SCOUTS

### SATURDAY, MAY 4

SPRING RETREAT (AWAY)  
 10:00 AM 1ST EUCHARIST (GROUP A)  
 RECOVERY INT  
 GIRL SCOUTS  
 1:00 PM  
 2:00 PM 1ST EUCHARIST (GROUP B)  
 3:30 PM CONFESSIONS  
 5:00 PM CATEQUESIS DE ADULTOS  
**5:00 PM VIGIL MASS**  
 † **Donna Grandstaff**  
 7:30 PM VIGIL MASS  
 † **Diana Maura González**

### SUNDAY, MAY 5

**6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER**  
 SPRING RETREAT (AWAY)  
 6:00 AM MISA  
 † **Fabián Duarte**  
 † **Fr. Francisco "Pancho" Negri**  
**7:30 AM MASS**  
 † **Monette Dizon**  
 9:30 AM ENG CONFIRMATION CLASS  
**9:30 AM MASS**  
**Melanie Meder**  
 11:00 AM LEGION OF MARY  
 12:00 PM SP CONFIRMATION CLASS

**11:30 AM MASS**  
 † **Gemma Kaufman**  
**2:00 PM MISA**  
**Fam. Ramirez Tellez**  
 4:00 PM DIVINA VOLUNTAD  
 5:00 PM EVANGELIZATION CHOIR  
**5:00 PM MASS**  
**People of St. Thomas**  
 LEGACY COLLEGE MINISTRY  
 6:00 PM  
 6:30 PM LIFENIGHT  
**7:30 PM MISA**  
**Graciela Vizcarra**

## Today's Gospel Reflection

**Read Sunday's Gospel:**  
John 13:31a-33a, 34-35

### Reflection for Families:

Jesus wanted the disciples to love one another and all followers with a binding love. It is this same kind of love that binds families together. When other people turn their backs and walk away, it is symbolic of Jesus' love that families are bound by a love incomparable anywhere else in our own experience. We fail at times, but rarely in any other setting do we see anything close to the unconditional love God has for us, as we see in the love parents show their children.

### Bringing the Gospel into Your Family:

Find someone in your neighborhood, school, place of work, or within your family who sometimes feels left out. Reach out to that person with the kind of love Jesus describes in this Gospel. Make them feel welcome and know they are a child of God. Perhaps you will send them a greeting card, say a special prayer for them, visit them, or invite them to your home. When your action is complete, share with one another where you saw Jesus in the experience you had with the person.

### Discussion Starters:

- There is someone I've been wanting to love as Jesus loves me. To show him/her, this week I will . . .
- What I think Jesus is really asking of me in this Gospel is . . .
- The greatest witness I ever saw to Jesus' love was when . . .

*Reflection courtesy of: RCL Benziger*

## Confirmation Classes: May 5th – June 30th

### Who may apply?

- Baptized Catholic adults 18+ who do not have any other impediments to receiving the Sacraments (such as irregular marriage/need for annulment.)

### Required Documents:

Certificate of Baptism – MUST be provided on the first day of class without which you can not participate. There are no exceptions!

Contact the parish (or diocese) where your Baptism took place and request a certificate in time before class date.

### Sponsor:

Each person must have one sponsor who is an active Catholic. Each sponsor is to attend all the preparation sessions in a supportive role.

### Class Schedule:

All classes will take place in the Adult Faith Formation Building.

#### Sundays

9:30 a.m. – 11:30 p.m. in English  
12:00 Noon – 2:00 p. m. in Spanish

Two Monday night classes on 5/13 and 6/17 are from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. in the Adult Faith Formation building for both English and Spanish students.

### For more information:

Michael Okuto 770 432-8579 Ext. 122  
mokuto@stthomastheapostle.org OR  
Linda Veit 770 432-8579 Ext. 131  
lveit@stthomastheapostle.org

**Quién puede aplicar?** Católicos mayores de 18 años que ya hayan sido bautizados y que no tengan impedimentos (matrimonio irregular o anulación)

### Documentos requeridos:

Certificado de Bautismo – deben traerlo el primer día de clases (5 de mayo). No excepciones. Contacte a su iglesia de bautismo y solicite una copia de este certificado con anticipación para que lo tenga a tiempo para la clase.

### Padrinos:

Cada persona debe traer un padrino o madrina (sólo uno). El padrino debe asistir a todas las clases.

### Horario de Clases:

Todas las clases tendrán lugar en el edificio de Educación Religiosa para Adultos

#### Domingos

9:30 a.m. – 11:30 p.m. en inglés  
12:00 Noon – 2:00 p. m. en español

Dos clases en noche de lunes (13 de mayo y 17 de junio) de 7:00 p.m. a 9:00 p.m. en el edificio de Educación Religiosa para Adultos para estudiantes de ambos grupos (ingles y español)

### Para más información:

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## Church Library



As we continue the celebration of the Easter season, let us pray for Pope Francis!

Come research our encyclical section, memoirs on Popes John Paul II and John XXIII, and books written by Emeritus Pope Benedict XVI. Get to know how Pope Francis is a first in many things: The first non-European to be elected in almost 1300 years and a Jesuit, the first member of any religious order in nearly two centuries.

Our library is located in the Adult Faith Formation Building and is open whenever the building is open! Check out books on the honor system; you have two months to return them!



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